

Building Line Question Still In Doubt

For several months past the question of where the building line on Michigan avenue is to be has been a much discussed question, and it appears that it is not yet settled.

Recently the council decided that it was a question that should be determined by the court and accordingly council was engaged and briefs were prepared ready to submit to Judge Shaffer.

At the present time the store buildings on both sides of the east block on Michigan avenue set back from the true property line. In the block nearest the railroads some of the stores, including Shoppensons Inn, have taken the liberty of building out in front as far as they pleased, but still within their property line. This has made a jagged and unsightly appearance and some of the owners in the east block hope to have this mistake avoided.

It appears that there are property owners in this east block who wish to build out in advance of the present used building line. Esbern Olson who is ready to build two stores on the corner property, says that he has to have more front space in order to have room for the kind of store he intends to build, and has been issued a building permit extending the building line to within 18 inches of the real property line, and about six feet in advance of where the old store (destroyed by fire) stood.

Emil Kraus, owner of the building on the other end of the same block also claimed that he needed the space and, whenever ready to build, would go out to the property line if he wanted to do so.

Frank Sales who also intended to build, was granted a building permit to that equal to the one issued to Esbern Olson, and already has begun work on the structure.

Chris Olsen has been one of the principal objectors to permit building out to the property line, and tried to point out what it would mean to the appearance of the street were a few buildings to stick out about six feet in front of others, and also what it would cost property owners in case they wished to add frontage to their buildings.

Instances of the latter is evident when it is known that A. J. Joseph, manager of the Grayling Mercantile Co., says that the best price they could get for a one-story front to their store was \$5,000, and that they could put up a new, modern building for only \$4,000 more.

The council stood divided on the permit question—3 in favor and two against. The case was withdrawn from court and apparently was settled. However when the people could observe just how the new buildings were to come out to the middle of the sidewalks, there seemed to be a general uprising of protest.

Accordingly a protest meeting was held at the offices of Dr. Stealy on Tuesday afternoon and it was decided that a meeting be requested to be held in conjunction with the City council the next forenoon for reconsideration of the matter.

There was a good sized crowd present, most of whom were directly interested as property owners in the effected area. All members of the council were present. Emil Kraus said that she had talked with him over the phone to Detroit and that the latter agreed that he would not build in front of the present used building line provided he could

purchase property in the rear of his building. This belongs to Mrs. Frank Barnett and she has agreed that she would sell. So that apparently takes care of that angle of the situation.

Frank Sales seems to be caught in the middle of the affair. He says that he is perfectly willing to keep his new structure to the present used building line but that in case others are permitted to come out further in front with their structures that he doesn't intend to be kept back in the hole.

The council is considering the matter of making outright purchase, paying \$5.00 per front foot for the property, thus making it impossible for anyone to build out in front of the present used building line. Whether all property owners will agree to this still remains to be seen but it does seem to be a very fair way for everyone concerned. Mr. Sales said, while the footings for his new building are already in, he is still willing to make such change that the other property owners may desire and the council approve.

GRAYLING BOYS WORK OUT WITH REDS

The three Grayling young men—Bob Hanson, Eddie Chalker and Walter Smith—who just returned home from Cincinnati where they had work-outs with the Cincinnati Reds, report a great time. The fellows are bursting with enthusiasm and can't say too much for the way they were treated by the players, especially Hazen (Kiki) Cuyler, center fielder for the Reds and Lou Riggs, third baseman.

Arrangements had been made thru Mr. Cuyler for the boys to get the privilege of work-outs with their team by Willard Cornell, local high school athletic director, and upon their arrival in Cincinnati Mr. Cuyler was right there to welcome them and saw to it that they met the players. The New York Giants were playing in Cincinnati so the boys had a chance to see some good games, and not the least among them was one in which Carl Hubbell was the moundsman.

All three of the boys had work-outs with the Reds prior to three different games. Chalker worked at second base, Hanson at short and Smith in center field. The boys say they seemed to be going good in a couple of work-outs but not so hot in the other one, but when Cuyler assured them that that meant nothing, they were quite relieved.

The training and experience the boys had working out with this great major league team was worth a lot to them. They like baseball and no doubt will be doing a lot of playing for the next few years, and who knows but that one or perhaps all of them may some day be wearing a major league uniform. We hope so.

National Guards Coming July 10th

The Michigan National Guard summer training period at the Hanson State Military reservation will begin Saturday, July 10th. Already contracts for the supply of foods and materials for the camp have been awarded. Last year the Guard was detailed to training service in the area about Camp Custer, in cooperation with other Guard units of the 6th corps area. While this year their coming seems quite assured still, in case of strike duty it is possible that they may be kept busy elsewhere. Let's hope they don't disappoint us another season.

The Star Spangled Banner



UNDER the starry flag that waves over this fair land, every citizen is a king, and there is no avenue to wealth and fame, position and power, that is not open to every child of the Republic.—W. A. Prossner.

THE Star Spangled Banner was designated as the national anthem by an Act of Congress, approved on March 3, 1931. It was written by Francis Scott Key, after he had witnessed the British bombardment of Fort M'Henry in Baltimore, in 1814. The words of this stirring song were sung to the tune of "Anacreon in Heaven" and immediately became popular and it was regarded as the national anthem though it was not made legally so until 1931.

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By GENE ALLEMAN

Lansing—Clocks of the state-house halls are due to be stopped at midnight Friday (June 25). It's the grand climax of Michigan's marathon talking legislative session which began a full six months ago.

When the tumult and shouting will have died down, as legislators celebrate traditionally their last night, Michigan will have an attempted answer to many pressing problems. Inevitable is the fact that many bills . . . hundreds of them in fact . . . must die in committee and on the floor during the last hurried days.

Since Gov. Frank Murphy took oath of office on New Year's Day and a new administration assumed power at Lansing, Michigan has seen wave after wave of labor trouble, tying up industrial plants and causing entire cities to face the inconvenience of a general strike or electric power shutdown. The situation has been unprecedented.

Model Bill Abandoned
To deal with industrial strikes, the governor arranged to have model bill drawn up by his legal adviser, Edward Kemp, with the aid of University of Michigan authority and the attorney general's department.

The C.I.O. and A. F. of L. both objected to provisions that would have required employers and employees to make reasonable efforts at mediation before employees could go on a strike—this clause being taken from the federal railroad mediation act passed early during the Roosevelt administration. The governor apparently changed his mind, for he henceforth voiced approval of a house substitute bill.

This house substitute bill, imposing few restrictions or responsibilities on labor, met a chilly reception from John L. Lewis, C.I.O. general chairman. Lewis declared that a denial of the right to strike instantly without notice "would put Michigan back a century in labor legislation."

Doubt was expressed by capital observers whether any industrial relations measure would be passed during the last remaining days of this session.

Dictatorship Talk
As the bank moratorium spread from Michigan in 1933, so the 1937 sit-down labor trouble has grown like a prairie fire. Philip Murray, strike leader of C.I.O., now warns of a "general civil war."

At a University of Michigan centennial program, Chester H. Rowell, a San Francisco editor, declared that the United States is on the way to a dictatorship. At Lansing the governor, harassed by legislators, maintained

his calm assurance that America is merely having temporary "labor pains" as it give birth to a new magna carta of industrial rights for the worker.

Spending is Popular
Increased wages, higher prices, and a return of good times have combined to put the legislature in a pleasant mood. Solons have been spending money freely. In fact, the state budget will likely be out of balance as a result.

More millions for primary public schools, more millions for highways, a half million for the libraries, millions for hospital facilities, increased appropriations for all state institutions, more aid for teachers' retirement fund, and so on—this has been the record of the Senate and House.

While the governor threatened to veto measures that would put the state into debt, legislators have been responding to urgent appeals from voters back home. Organized pressure lobbies have been getting results.

"We must have more funds," was the universal cry. "Let the state help solve our problem." The House heard Rep. John Hamilton, Detroit Democrat, proclaim the philosophy: "The voters don't care about a public debt."

Hamilton tried in vain to license organized gambling. The nearest approach to the idea was the passage of a house bill to license slot machines, restricting the "take" to 25 per cent. A dog racing licensing bill, approved by the House, failed in the Senate by a few votes—after the Governor had given assurance discreetly that he would veto it.

The Saloon Returns

By a vote of 13 to 15, the Senate decided a few days ago to permit the old-time saloon bar to return in Michigan. Rejecting an amendment that would be left the state liquor act as it has been in recent years, the Senate put an O.K. on the brass rail.

Whereas tables have been required for beer and liquor service, the legislature's new plan permits customers to stand up. The liquor commission has been given the right to open 200 more retail stores and raise prices 15 per cent.

Billboard Control

It was early in the session when the Michigan Federation of Garden Clubs backed a non-partisan bill in the legislature to license billboards in the interest of preserving highway beauty in Michigan. The measure struck a snag.

Garden clubs found that commercial interests objected strenuously to the proposed tax. As the legislature's spending mood encouraged a prospect of deficit, the administration began

Civic Committee Appointments Made

At a meeting held in the Court house last week Thursday night, a committee was organized to function in the capacity of a Chamber of Commerce. There was a good crowd present and a lot of suggestions made relative to the need and of the duties of such a committee.

Meeting under the sponsorship of the local chapter Izaak Walton League, President Royal A. Wright acted as chairman. It was suggested that a board of directors be appointed from among several local organizations. This suggestion received unanimous endorsement. Mr. Wright took the matter over for consideration and since has announced the following appointments: representing the organization from whom they are chosen:

Izaak Walton League—O. P. Schumann and Dr. Stanley Stealy.

Kiwanis Club—Roy O. Milnes and Farnum Matson.

American Legion—Charles E. Moore and Emil Giegling.

Winter Sports, Inc.—C. J. McNamara and Royal A. Wright.

Women's Club—Mrs. Daisy Barnett and Mrs. Jane Welsh.

Michelson Memorial Church—Rev. Edgar Flory.

St. Mary's Church—Rev. Fr. Moloney.

Free Methodist Church—Rev. C. E. Stevens.

Danish Lutheran Church—Rev. Hans Juhl.

City of Grayling—George Burke, mayor; George Granger, city manager, and Al Roberts, representing the council.

This group will elect the officers of the C. of C.

It is the desire that any organization in the city wishing to be represented on this board that notice be given to any of the officers and authority to make appointments will be gladly given.

It was definitely determined that the Izaak Walton League would manage the canoe carnival. Dates were set for the latter part of July or first part of August. It is expected to be a three day affair with at least two canoe trips down the AuSable on the program. Ernest Berchers has been appointed chairman of the affair.

ENTERTAINED AT BRIDAL SHOWER

Mrs. B. A. Cooley entertained the business women at a lovely shower Thursday evening at her home honoring Mrs. Ronneg Hanson (Marion Reynolds).

Guests included the business women, who have been the bride's associates for several years. Bowls of nasturtiums were used for decoration and although it was a gloomy evening out-of-doors, the some 30 ladies enjoyed a pleasant evening at cards.

The hostess served a delicious lunch on small tables scattered throughout the rooms. When it came time for opening the gifts the bride went into ecstasies as she untied the many daintily tied packages that contained useful and gorgeous articles for her home.

This evening Mrs. Frank Sales is entertaining for Mrs. Hanson.

to look around for new revenue.

Hence the billboard bill is being revived with the blessing of the senate highway committee, not primarily to protect our scenic highways from commercial spoliation but to raise more money. Economic needs may triumph again where esthetic appeals fail.

The bill by Senator J. Neal Lamoreaux would bring into the state treasury \$100 annually from every billboard outside of municipalities.

Consumers' Co-ops

Father Coughlin's National Union of Social Justice is back in the news headlines again. This time at Detroit where an affiliate, the Workers' Council for Social Justice, seeks to recruit members for purpose of collective bargaining.

Demanding that the capitalist and the industrialist "work for labor instead of for the bankers," the Coughlin movement envisions the day when employers will be required to provide "purchasing agencies" to sell food, meat, clothing and other necessities to the workers without profit.

This new interpretation of the consumers' co-operative movement will be of interest to Michigan's Main Street. It appears to be another dues-gathering scheme to help the much abused worker. Further comment seems unnecessary.

REV. KJOLHEDE PASSED AWAY AT GRANT

Rev. Peter Kjolhede, a former pastor of Danish Lutheran church and resident of Grayling for 23 years, passed away at his home in Grant, Mich. Friday. About a month ago the aged gentleman fell at his home, breaking a bone in his hip which coupled with his 92 years was too much. Rev. Kjolhede fell short of seven years of the goal he had hoped to reach, as he had often said he was going to live to be 100 years old.

Rev. Kjolhede was loved by his congregation and by the people of Grayling in general during his pastorate here. All through his life he had a very interesting and useful career. In his earlier days he held many important positions in the Danish Church Association of America. He was president of the association for many years and at one time many years ago when it was in a crisis, through the timely and able effort of Rev. Kjolhede it was saved and today is doing a great work in church service. Rev. Kjolhede was ordained minister of theological graduates for a long number of years or until his age made it impossible to continue. He saw the need of Danish schools and it was through his efforts that Grandview College at Des Moines, Iowa, was established in 1898. During his pastorate here he also held school for Danish children.

What we have told are just a few of the important events in Rev. Kjolhede's life, but we could go on and on telling of the work of this noble gentleman.

The funeral was held in Grant and Rev. and Mrs. Hans Juhl and Christ Johnson were among those who went to be in attendance. Surviving the deceased are Mrs. Kjolhede and a son and daughter, all of whom have the sympathy of Grayling friends.

Beauty Parlor In New Quarters

IS MODERN IN ALL APPOINTMENTS

Tiny's Beauty Parlors are now fully settled in their new quarters. Workmen have been busy for several weeks rebuilding the structure and now, with its new front and white and green asbestos siding this place makes an appealing appearance. The work was done by Anton Kangas, assisted by Carl Lauri and it's an attractive job.

Inside new operating booths have been built, new and modern plumbing and apparatus have been installed. A new heating plant heats the parlors as well as the living quarters which are in the rear of the building and upstairs. A garage is built into the structure, which also is heated. Mrs. Maxine Trudeau assists Mr. Russell as beauty culturist.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell are to be complimented upon their enterprising in the splendid improvement they have made in their business.

Bass Fishing Season Opens Tomorrow

Fishing for black bass, bluegills, sunfish and warmouth bass in all the inland and Great Lakes waters under Michigan's jurisdiction becomes legal in Michigan Friday, June 25, conservation authorities announced today.

On that date all the inland lakes now closed entirely to sport-fishing to give the species above-named protection during their reproduction season, will automatically open to fishing.

The season on large and small-mouth black bass has been closed in Michigan since December 31 and the season on bluegills, sunfish and warmouth bass since April 30.

All regulations governing lake fishing remain the same as last year. The changes in fishing laws now being considered by the state legislature, if enacted into law, would probably not become effective until 1938.

TO GIVE SWIMMING LESSONS

All children who wish to take swimming lessons or training for Junior or Senior life saving, meet at the school house at 1:15 p. m. Tuesday, June 29.

You will be under the care of Leo Lovely, Recreational Leader, who has just passed the Senior test under direction of the American Red Cross at Kellogg's Aquatic School at Doster, Mich.

Distinguished Guests Visit Mich. Resorts

The Governor's Tour of Michigan consisting of 50 metropolitan travel editors and travel bureau executives who are instrumental in routing 10 million tourists into vacation territories arrived in Grayling last Saturday. They passed through Grayling at 2 p. m. after having had lunch at Johnson's Rustic Tavern, Houghton Lake. They stayed all night at Mackinac Island.

Purpose of the tour is to better acquaint these travel executives with the state's varied recreational facilities, according to sponsors of the tour, Southeastern Michigan Tourist and Publicity Association, East Michigan Tourist Association, West Michigan Tourist Association and Resort Association, Upper Peninsula Development Bureau, Automobile Club of Michigan, Detroit Convention and Tourist Bureau and the Michigan Hotel Association.

Michigan's 1,624 miles of shore line, her 10 thousand inland lakes and sparkling streams stamp her as one of the great playgrounds of North America. Her position in the center of these great inland seas, which constitute one-third of all the fresh water in the world, gives her a summer climate unsurpassed. The position which she occupies as a manufacturing state is well known the world over. She is a leader in the manufacturing of automobiles, furniture, agricultural implements and a thousand other articles. She has built cities of a substantial nature, the inhabitants of which furnish a home market for the products of the fields and orchards of the farmer.

The tour when completed will have passed through Detroit, Ann Arbor, Lansing, Houghton Lake, Grayling, Gaylord, Top-In-A-Bee, Cheboygan, Mackinaw City, Mackinac Island, Hessel, St. Ignace, Petoskey, Charlevoix, Traverse City, Manistee, Ludington, Pentwater, Hart, Shelby, Whitehall, Muskegon, Grand Rapids, Grand Haven, Holland, Saugatuck, South Haven, Benton Harbor, St. Joseph, Kalamazoo, Battle Creek and Jackson.

Carl G. Sedan, Detroit Convention and Tourist Bureau, is tour manager and assistant tour manager is Harry N. Rogan of the Automobile Club of Michigan who is routing the entire tour. Executives on the tour are: William Atkinson, Colonial Orange Court Hotel, Orlando, Fla.; W. L. Ayers, managing editor, Chicago Journal of Commerce; Fred D. Burns, travel and resort editor, Cincinnati Times Star; W. C. Carey, Ask Mr Foster Service, Chicago; Dewey W. George, secretary-manager, East Tennessee Automobile Club, Knoxville, Tenn.; Julian Griffin, editorial department, the Cleveland Press; Robert J. Hagenbaugh, Akron Automobile Club.

D. D. Hatcher, secretary-manager, Toledo Automobile Club; W. Murray Hogan, Nashville Automobile Club; A. I. Hoover, Ontario Motor League, Toronto; Guy Housley, outdoor editor, Chicago Daily News; J. P. Hutchens, Fort Wayne Automobile Club; Herman Landu, travel editor, Louisville Courier Journal; Dai H. Lewis, managing director, Automobile Club of Buffalo; Clarence E. Levejoy, New York Times; Frank Marron, travel editor, Chicago Herald and Examiner.

Richmond Johnson, the Detroit News; Erwin Maus, Jr., travel department, the Cleveland News; Charles E. Morgan, Central West Virginia Automobile Club; Clarksburg, W. Va.; Cliff H. Murfin, secretary, Portsmouth Automobile Club; J. D. McAlpine, secretary-manager, Essex County Automobile Club, Windsor; A. H. O'Neal, Automobile Club of Missouri, St. Louis, Mo.; R. E. Rhoades, Eastern Iowa Motor Club, Davenport Iowa; Neil D. Schworm, manager, Canton Automobile Club.

Harry W. Smith, travel editor, the Cleveland Plain Dealer; Thomas A. Springfield, manager, Nashville Automobile Club; Eugene Stuart, secretary-manager, Louisville Automobile Club; Frank G. Thomas, secretary, Steubenville Automobile Club; Bert Vanderward, manager, touring bureau, Chicago Motor Club; J. H. Warner, manager, travel department, Cleveland Automobile Club.

George Wermes, Cincinnati Automobile Club; Gerald Wigle, president, Essex County Automobile Club; Windsor; Wm. F. Young, Jr., Federal Writers' Project, Michigan Works Progress Administration.

The secretaries of the three (Continued on last page)

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DANGEROUS CORNER

Have you ever stood on the corner of Michigan avenue and Maple street and observed how cars come from across the lower bridge and tear down Maple street without regard to the lives of the people at Michigan avenue? And even people traveling on the avenue take a lot of chances when they cross Maple street. While neither is a stop street nor common regard for safety should prompt one to slow up at that place.

Cars tear down these streets many times with utter disregard to the safety of themselves or others. The state law says that 20 miles an hour in the residential district may be permissible and would be safe for everyone. Must we wait until some child is run over before we take notice of the danger to the children who are on every day in our city.

Legion Jottings



The 10th and 11th District meeting of the American Legion was held at Grayling, Mich., last Sunday and the city was well represented there. The American Legion, which is a branch of the Grand Lodge of the Grand Lodge of Michigan, was held at Grayling, Mich., last Sunday and the city was well represented there.

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THE LIFE STORY OF JANET TE MACDONALD

A life story of Janet Te MacDonald, a woman who lived a life of adventure and hardship, was published in the local newspaper. The story details her early life, her travels, and her eventual settlement in Grayling, Michigan.

Results Jugglers

The results of the jugglers' performance were highly entertaining and well-received by the audience. The jugglers performed a variety of stunts, including juggling multiple balls and performing acrobatic feats.

Japanese Rooster Needs Four Train Bearers



Four Japanese children seem to get a big thrill from seeing a train-bearer in this prize rooster, held by the good owner. This type of bird is common in rural areas of Japan, where the holder of the bird is raising long-tailed chickens. The longer the tail, the more valuable the bird. They take extraordinary care of their prize to preserve the beautiful appearance.

Gaylord Outdoor Festival June 25-7

"Bob" Archduke Kettner is bringing his famous swing band and entertainers to play for the Queen's ball Saturday night at the new Gaylord High School gym.

They feature George Wilson and his trumpet and the voices of Amore Bues and Johnny



BOB ARCHDUKE KETTNER

Walker. This band has been playing in the East and South at all the leading night clubs and dancing pavilions.

Those who have not danced to this band or heard them on the air will indeed get a treat worth traveling many miles to hear.

The coronation of the queen will be in the gym at 9:00 o'clock after which dancing will start.

PRE-SCHOOL CLINIC AT FREDERIC AND LOVELLS

There will be an infant and pre-school clinic at Frederic school on Thursday, July 1st, from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. under the direction of Mrs. Ace Long, chairman of the Crawford County Child Welfare committee.

The children will be examined by Dr. W. R. Lundberg, of the

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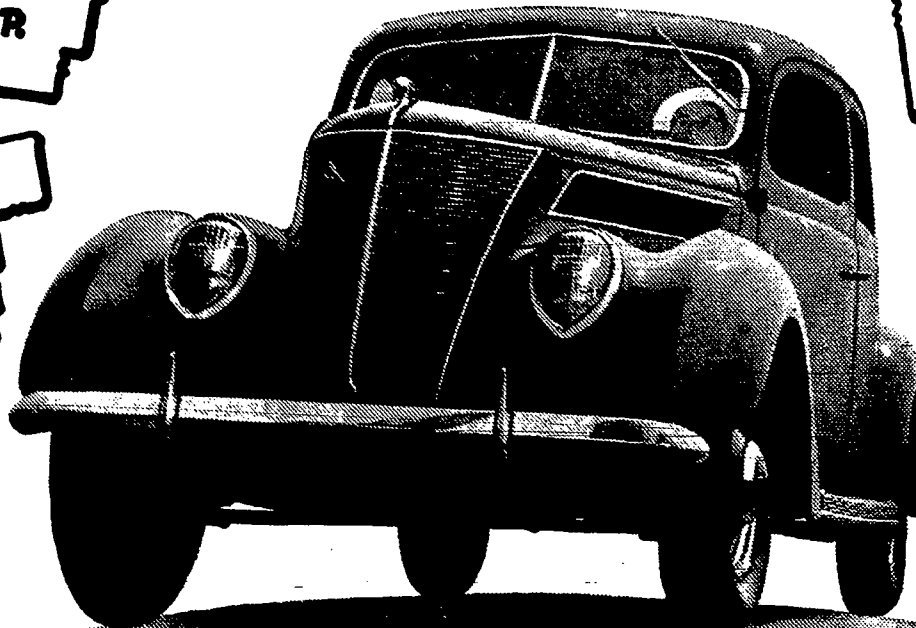
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Personals

Miss Yvonne LaGrew went to Detroit Friday to visit friends.

Write Suppers, \$2.50 to \$4.00 values for \$1.75, at Olsons.

Frank May Jr. is visiting relatives in Farmington for several days.

Laurence Hunter of Pontiac spent the week end with his family here.

Allen Imhardt of Midland is visiting his cousin, Robert Chapin, until after July 4th.

B. L. Brainer of the Water-viet Paper Co. was a guest in the home of Jack Clark over the week end.

Miss Elizabeth Nowinski visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nowinski, in Gaylord, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson and son Ronald, Mrs. John Rowe and daughter Oral, and Nelson Volmer visited friends in Grayling Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Southworth of Sunday and their new house on the south side that has just been completed. They had been living with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hendrickson, until their home was ready to move into.

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Little Phyllis Bennett was an over Sunday guest of the Sidney Barber family at Frederic.

Warren Stephan with a friend, Wayburn Little, of Detroit, spent the week end with his family.

Children's White Oxfords or Sandals, sizes 9 to 1, at 97 cents at Olsons.

Miss Dorothea Arndt visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Arndt, of Waters, over Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Brown of Saginaw visited her brother, John Kolka and family the first of the week.

Mrs. Lawrence Kosseler and son Jr. of Gaylord, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Quigley.

Mr. and Mrs. Moves Pet, and Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Connor and son Pat Jr., were guests in the James Lynch home Sunday.

Mrs. Frank May visited her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Rasmussen in Detroit last of the week.

Don Gottho came home last week end from Cleary Business college, Ypsilanti, to spend his vacation.

Miss Flora Carpenter of Prudenville and Henry Patterson of Lake City spent Sunday with Mrs. Neal McDaniels.

Miss Lucille Wheeler of Holly, Mich., was home over the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Wheeler.

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Here's a Hard Job for the Typist

Kathleen Tsuchiya, Japanese stenographer in San Francisco, exhibits a native tongue typewriter which uses 3,000 characters and takes three years of intensive training for one to learn to operate it. Japanese typists are a rarity in the United States.



Keeping Baseball in the Family



Jimmy Collins Jr., twenty-year-old son of the vice president and general manager of the Boston Red Sox, leaves from Joe Wood, Yale baseball coach, how the latter pitched against his dad 25 years ago. The older Collins was one of the outstanding second-basemen in the game and Wood is an ex-Boston Red Sox pitcher who pitched against him when he was with the Chicago White Sox and Philadelphia. Jimmy Jr. plays center field on the Yale varsity team.

Notice

City taxes are due and payable at the City office on July 1, 1937. Please bring your statement with you; we need it for reference.

Florence Butler,
City Treasurer.

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Want Ads

WANTED—Girl for housework. May go home nights. Mrs. W. Hildebrand, phone 96F11, Lake Margrethe.

WANTED—Housekeeper. Woman of 50 years or over, and a good cook. Mrs. Geo. L. Alexander.

FURNISHED HOUSE—For Rent. Nicely located and close to all civic activities. Inquire of Mrs. B. A. Cooley.

LOST—Beagle pup, black with brown spots, with very little white under the chin. Aubrey Blaine.

WORK WANTED—14 year old boy wants work. Can drive a car. Inquire at Avalanche Office.

FOR SALE—Five good building lots and one lot with small cabin, in group or singly. Good location and lots of shade. Build your own home in Grayling and quit paying rent. Inquire of O. P. Schumann, Grayling. Phone 111.

FOR SALE—50-lb. icebox. Inquire of Mrs. W. Hildebrand, phone 96F11, Lake Margrethe.

FOR SALE—Six weeks old pigs. Call at Fink Farm in Maple Forest. 6-24-2

PLAYER PIANO BARGAIN—Cost \$600.00 when new; can now be had for only \$39.50 including rolls. Write to Mrs. R. J. Lemke 2335 W. Vliet Street, Milwaukee, Wisc., and she will advise where instrument may be seen. 6-24-3

FOR SALE—Set of Golf Clubs, 3 woods and five irons, in good leather-trimmed golf bag all for \$10. See these at the Avalanche Office. Phone 111.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Mrs. George Sorenson, phone 70 or 72.

FOR SALE—Several thrifty weaned pigs. E. F. Jewell, 4 1/2 miles east of Frederic.

FOR SALE—1 Kalamazoo Circulating Heater, 1 wood and coal heater, 1 wood heater, 1 gasoline water heater, 1 tennis racket, 1 double window frame and sash, 1 two-sash window, Tiny's Beauty Shoppe.

WANTED—Bookkeeper. Steady position. For information inquire at Avalanche Office.

City Council

Proceedings

RECORD OF CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Meeting held on the 7th day of June A. D. 1937, Grayling, Mich.

Meeting called to order by Mayor George Burke.

Councilmen present: Milnes, Roberts, Burke, Jensen, Olsen. Absent: none.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Moved by Burke, supported by Roberts that the application of Arthur Clough for a building permit to build a permanent residence and three tourist cabins be approved.

Passed by unanimous vote.

Moved by Roberts, supported by Jensen that the petition of Esbern Olson and wife for a building permit to erect a building 38 feet front by 65 1/2 feet depth on the east 38 feet of Lot 1 and a strip of land 10 feet wide adjoining the said parcel, all in Block 15 of the Original Plat of the Village of Grayling (Now City of Grayling), 1 1/2 feet back from the true property line, be granted.

Yea: Three.

Nay: Two.

Motion carried.

Moved by Jensen, supported by Roberts, that the proceedings instigated by the City of Grayling in the Circuit Court of Crawford County to establish a building line in Blocks 15 and 16 of the Original Plat of the Village of Grayling (Now City of Grayling) be dismissed and that the attorneys engaged to prosecute the proceedings be paid and dismissed.

Passed by unanimous vote.

Moved by Jensen, supported by Roberts that the application of Frank Sales and wife for a building permit to erect a building 30 feet by 90 feet on the West 30 feet of the West half of Lots 1 and 2 of Block 15, Original Plat of the Village of Grayling (Now City of Grayling) 1 1/2 feet back of the true property line, be granted.

Passed by unanimous vote.

Moved by Milnes, supported by Olsen that the petition of the property owners for a new sidewalk on the north side of the street in Block 8 between Norway and Cedar Streets be acknowledged and that the property owners be notified that the walk will be built as soon as possible, the property owners to pay 50% of the cost of construction.

Passed by unanimous vote.

Moved by Roberts, supported by Olsen that the following resolution be adopted.

Resolved: That the annual budget of the expenditures of the City of Grayling for the fiscal year ending July 1, 1938, is fixed and determined as herein set forth, providing for the expenditures of \$30,000.00, and the Clerk is directed to enter the same on the minutes. This sum of money is hereby appropriated for the several purposes as enumerated, and the responsible officials are authorized to expend such sums so appropriated as may be necessary for these purposes, provided such expenditures shall be incurred in the manner directed by law. Be it further

Resolved: That the Clerk be

and hereby is directed to enter upon the minutes of the meeting a record of the estimated receipts for the fiscal year ending July 1, 1937, a record of the amounts appropriated for each of the several purposes, and a statement of the salary and wage rates to be paid during the said fiscal year. Be it further

Resolved: That the Clerk be and hereby is instructed to file the following data among the public records of the City of Grayling:

Letter of transmittal. Estimated. Statement of Indebtedness. Report on status of Street Funds.

Report on status of Delinquent Taxes. Report on estimated expense and revenue of Water Department.

Be it further Resolved: That in accordance with the provisions of Section 45 of the Charter of the City of Grayling the proper city officials be and hereby are instructed and directed to spread and levy the sum of \$14,336.64 upon the roll of taxable property in the City of Grayling as an assessment roll for taxes thereon, and to proceed with the levy and collection of such taxes in the manner provided by law.

Passed by unanimous vote.

Moved and supported that meeting adjourn. Motion carried.

George A. Granger, City-Clerk.

Data on Budget (Estimated Receipts)

Taxes:

Current City Taxes (less 33% for delinquency) \$9,780.00

Delinquent Real Taxes—1932 and prior 520.00

Delinquent Real Taxes—1933 400.00

Delinquent Real Taxes—1934 500.00

Delinquent Real Taxes—1935 800.00

Delinquent Real Taxes—1936 1,000.00

Fines and Fees: 15.00

Tax Collection Fees 220.00

Licenses:

Liquor \$1,390.00

Other 30.00

Municipal Services:

Rural Fires 70.00

Sewer Connections 70.00

Interest and Penalties: 200.00

Delinquent Taxes 200.00

Liquidation Township Assets 200.00

Other:

Weight and Gas Tax 10,000.00

Refunds 175.00

Total Receipts \$25,350.00

Cash on Hand July 1 \$5,000.00

Total Available Income \$30,350.00

Total Disbursements \$30,000.00

Balance on Hand at end of Fiscal Year \$350.00

Disbursements

General Government:

Administrative \$3,416.00

Elections 30.00

Board of Review 480.00

Public Bldg. 480.00

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police 1,535.00

Fire 3,334.00

Health and Welfare 200.00

Public Works:

Streets—

Surface Maintenance 1,775.00

Structure Maintenance 245.00

Snow Removal 370.00

Sidewalks	600.00
Lighting	1,725.00
Sanitary Sewers	2,370.00
Refuse Disposal	250.00
Stores	475.00
Parks and Cemeteries:	
Parks	580.00
Cemeteries	50.00
Recreation:	
Playgrounds	125.00
Insurance	500.00
Special Appropriations:	
Specific Contributions	385.00
Miscellaneous Contributions	120.00
Promotion and Advertising	75.00
Education:	
Library	250.00
Capital Outlay	11,100.00
Total	\$30,000.00

Wage Schedule

Manager, \$165.00 per month.

Office Assistant, \$70.00 per month.

General Foreman, \$105.00 per month.

Attorney, \$120.00 per year.

Assessor, \$30.00 per year.

Health Officer, \$150.00 per year.

Common Labor, 40c per hour.

Chief of Police, \$95.00 per month.

Fire Chief, \$4.00 per call where water is used from hydrant.

\$2.00 per call where no water is used. (False alarm).

Assistant Chief, \$2.50 per call where water is used from hydrant.

\$1.25 per call where no water is used. (False alarm).

Firemen, \$2.00 per call where water is used from hydrant.

\$1.00 per call where no water is used. (False alarm).

Chief and Assistant Chief, 50c per hour after 1 1/2 hours service.

Firemen, 45c per hour after 1 1/2 hours service.

We Fool Ourselves

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

WE LIKE to fool ourselves. We set

The clock ahead, and so we get

Up every morn at break of day—

We could have done it anyway.

Sent by the clock we set ahead,

We at "eleven" go to bed,

But really go to bed at ten—

Although we could have done it then.

We like to fool ourselves, and so

Say things we "own" for which we

Owe.

A lot of little things we craved—

We might have owned them had

We saved.

Then, when a panic comes along

We say that speculating's wrong.

To buy on margin is a shame—

Although, of course, we did the same.

We like to fool ourselves. To tell

The truth, we like to lie as well.

Deceive the others so and thus—

But no one quite as much as us.

We strut around, talk long and loud,

And hope to hypnotize the crowd.

But this is really why we boast—

We like to fool ourselves the most.

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GRAPHIC GOLF

By BEST BALL

FOOT ACTION

AT ADDRESS—WEIGHT EVENLY

DISTRIBUTED BETWEEN

TWO FEET—TOES

POINTED OBliquely

OUTWARDS

TOP OF STROKE—

WEIGHT LARGELY

ON RIGHT

FOOT

FINISH OF STROKE—

WEIGHT ON

RIGHT FOOT

WATCH THE FEET

FOOTWORK plays a large part in

many competitive sports and

golf is no exception. Balance, the

ability to pivot, to shift the weight

smoothly and easily are assets in

the game. For example the foot

action of three stages covering the

complete swing is illustrated above.

In the first one, the stance at

address is shown. Here the feet

are well placed to balance the body

action which is to follow, the toes

pointed obliquely outwards to facili-

tate the body turn. This makes the

backstroke easier of execution and

longer, also provides for a free

movement of the down stroke

through and past the ball.

In the second panel the weight

has been shifted largely to the right

foot, denoting the top of the stroke.

The position of the feet remains the

same but the left instep and left

knee are now turned in toward the

right. The balance at this stage is

so well managed that even were the

entire stroke stopped for a moment

at this point it would not mean a

collapse of the position. The last

figure shows the footwork at the

completion of the follow through.

Here the weight has been trans-

ferred almost entirely to the left

leg and the left hip is well around

out of the path of the stroke. This

is essential, too, for if the left hip

falls to pivot around a collapse of

the left arm must result, spoiling

the shot.

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BETSY ROSS HOUSE
Where Our Flag Was Made

THE historic incident of the origin of the flag is one of the dramatic stories of Revolutionary days, featuring one of the more colorful women of colonial history, the widow of John Ross, upholsterer, who fell early in the Revolution. A storehouse of munitions he was guarding exploded. Betsy Ross has been pictured as the Florence Nightingale of the Revolution.

To this brick house at 239 Arch street, Philadelphia, came one day in June, 1776, a committee of Gen. George Washington, Col. George Ross, uncle of Betsy's late husband, and the wealthy Robert Morris, chairman of the secret commission on supplies for the colonial forces. They requested Betsy Ross to make the flag according to a design given her by General Washington, and which was officially adopted by the congress the following year.

The old house is a two-and-a-half story structure, 17 feet wide, with but two rooms on the ground floor. At the front was the upholstery shop, and in the rear, connected by a hallway, was the sitting room, used as a dining room on gala occasions. Beneath this was the basement kitchen, reached by a winding stairs. Bedrooms were on the second and dormer floors. The living room still has the large fireplace with the original blue Dutch tile; the room was originally painted blue, as shown by the removal of many coats of paint.

An inch-by-inch study of the building has revealed many changes since the flag incident. The front entrance had been shifted from one side of the building to the other; a chimney and three fireplaces had been closed up; four windows had been made into doors; the original floor of the basement kitchen was found ten inches beneath the present brick flooring.

All of the original building is being carefully preserved. Thus it was discovered that six doors with original L-shaped hinges of colonial make remain; two sets of colonial shutters, of spliced wood, paneled inside, with authentic hinges were discovered on the rear of the building. Two second-story front windows and a dormer window were originals even to the small panes of glass.

Flag Code Provides for Reverence to the Emblem

THE following extract from the flag code, providing for reverence to the national emblem, adopted by the National Flag Conferences held in Washington in 1923 and 1924, gives the form of the salute:

"During the ceremony of hoisting or lowering the flag or when the flag is passing in a parade or in a review, all persons present should salute the flag, stand at attention and salute. Those present in uniform should render the right hand salute. When not in uniform, men should remove the head-dress with the right hand and hold it at the left shoulder, the hand being over the heart. Women should salute by placing the right hand over the heart. The salute to the flag in the moving column is rendered at the moment the flag passes."

Adams, Jefferson Died on Fourth John Adams and Thomas Jefferson, both died on July 4, 1826, the fiftieth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. They were the only two signers to become President.

The American Flag



LET INDEPENDENCE be our boast, Ever mindful what it cost; Ever grateful for the prize, Let its stars reach the skies! —From "Hail, Columbia!"

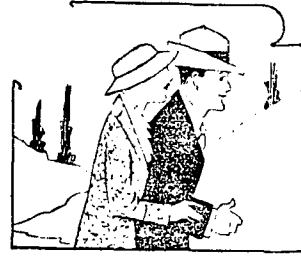
NEEDS PROTECTION



"You should see Ann's coat of arms."

"She ought to wear it this weather if she's got one."

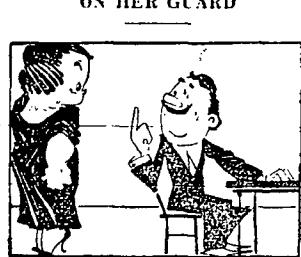
EASY ENOUGH



Francis—An officer has to know how to manage men.

Helen—Huh! I know how to do that myself.

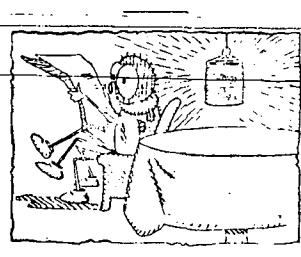
ON HER GUARD



"Come sit near me, Mrs. Green. You can learn a lot by watching my game."

"No, thank you. I don't like to profit by other people's mistakes."

MORE CURRENT



"This light is getting dim. I'll have to run out and get a few more fireflies."

BARBERSHOP BLUES



"That new barber is a highbrow. I could hardly follow his remarks."

"All barbers are apt to talk over their customers' heads."

DOUBLES IN BRASS

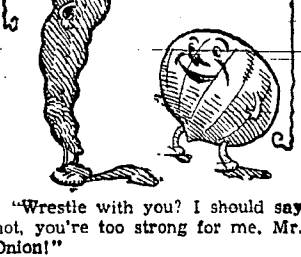


"Great musician, Brown!"

"News to me."

"Well, he plays on everybody's confidence, harps on a subject till you get mad and hoots his own horn on every occasion."

OH, SQUASH



"Wrestle with you? I should say not, you're too strong for me, Mr. Onion!"

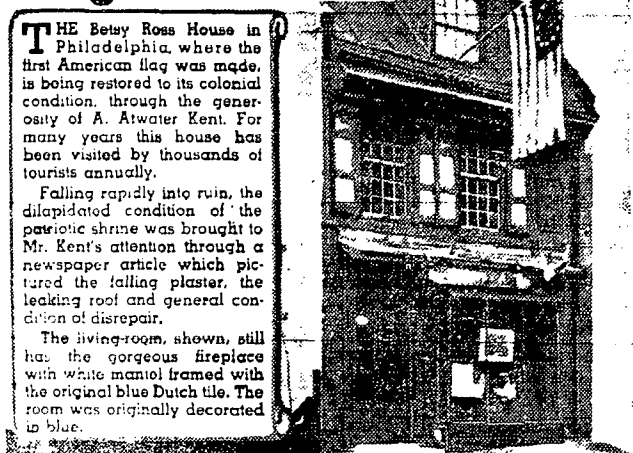
WRONG AGAIN



"That fellow is a Bolshevik in disguise."

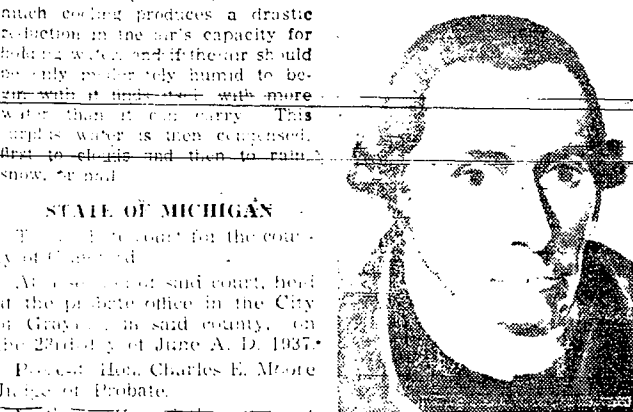
"Nonsense! A Bolshevik never disguises. He advertises."

Where First American Flag Was Made



The Orator of the Revolution

When large masses of air are warmed and forced upward they undergo considerable expansion upon reaching the lower pressures of the upper air. This expansion is accompanied by a surprising amount of cooling. Dry air rising to an altitude of a mile may be cooled by as much as twenty-five degrees. This much cooling produces a drastic reduction in the air's capacity for holding water, and if the air should be only moderately humid to begin with, it must condense with more water than it can carry. This surplus water is then condensed, first to clouds and then to rain, snow, or hail.



"Give Me Liberty or Give Me Death."—Patrick Henry.

"FORBID it, Almighty God!" thundered Patrick Henry in the Virginia Convention at Richmond, in 1775, in a speech typical of his explosive temper of the time. "I know not what course others may take, but as for me, give me liberty, or give me death!" The orator of the Revolution had a fan. It was Patrick Henry who was tested before the American people that government was a contract between King and people and that the violation of such contract by the King was truly an illegal act.

TRANSCRIBED DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE by Thomas Jefferson for John Hancock was the person who transcribed the Declaration of Independence. The actual work of transcription was done by Timothy Matlack.

A true copy. Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

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6-24-4

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, July 2, 1914

The building that is known as the McKay house, that was purchased by R. Hanson some time ago and moved to the southwest corner of the lot, is being overhauled, renovated and repaired, and will be put into first-class condition for a hotel.

The Mercantile Company store is much improved with a fresh coat of paint.

Harry Conine arrived on Friday from U. of M. Ann Arbor, to spend his vacation.

Wm. Darnoth, proprietor of the hotel at Howard, was in the city on business Monday.

The dancing pavilion being erected by Mrs. Collier at Portage Lake will be ready for use the 4th of July. Saturday, Bradley's orchestra has been engaged to play for the opening.

Mrs. Fred Nairn packed the household goods last week and on Friday morning with her children left for Saginaw to make her future home, where Mr. Nairn is doing business as a grocery man.

Barney McLeod left yesterday for Detroit. He has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Fred Minton.

Mrs. Dan Hoesh and children returned on Saturday from a ten-day visit in Johannesburg with her sister, Mrs. Alex Weaver.

Miss Agnes Hanson is being for her vacation from her school in M. Pleasant. She is entering M. Campbell, also of M. Pleasant.

Ernest Streeter, who has been a tiler at the planning mill for several years, left the foreman of the week for Knoxville, Tenn., to accept a similar position in one of the mills there. Karl Kitchin will leave for the same place Sunday night, where he intends to work.

It's an eight pound son at home that makes Addison Lewis step so high. He is so delighted that he scarcely will take the time to talk to his friends. The baby's name is Mark Campbell Lewis and was born Tuesday morning.

Miss Bessie McCullough, who has been attending the Thomas training school in Detroit, has

finished her course and is spending this week at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCullough. She will return to Detroit on Saturday, where she will be assistant dietitian in Harper hospital.

J. E. Richards, wife and son of Dayton, Ohio, arrived in Grayling yesterday and were on their way to their cottage at Portage Lake. This is the eleventh consecutive season that they have spent at this beautiful lake.

On June 18th, Miss Catherine Shue, a popular young lady of Merrill, and Leo P. Kahar of Frederic were joined in holy matrimony at Sacred Heart Church at Merrill.

J. C. Foreman and family have moved into their summer home at Portage Lake for the summer.

Mrs. A. L. Voorhees left for her home in California Thursday after a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Elmer Matson.

Hans Olson and wife, of Brewster, Minn., are guests of the former's brother, N. P. Olson.

The Conine store has been repainted on the interior.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Fong-chong on Tuesday, June 30th, a fine baby boy.

Peter Johnson gave a party on Monday evening to a few friends at his dance hall.

Among those who went over on the excursion to Manistee last Sunday were Mrs. Frank Tetu and daughter, Miss Maude, Miss Irene LaSporance, Messrs. Paul Goodwin and Bert Peterson and Mrs. Wm. McNeven and children.

John Snyder, and old resident of Grayling, died from apoplexy Friday morning, at the age of seventy years.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Canfield entertained the former's brother, Frank Canfield, of Detroit last week.

Floyd Milton Hathaway, Alice Matilda Fox and Andrew Lowell Fox were baptized in the church Sunday by the Rev. V. J. Hutton.

The Grayling-Saginaw baseball games that were to have been played here last Saturday and Sunday were abandoned on account of rain and wet grounds. There was a disappointed lot of

fans in Grayling those two days. It makes it seem like a long time between games.

On Tuesday of last week Supervisor M. A. Bates treated the members of the county board of supervisors to an auto ride to Portage Lake and the military reservation.

F. H. Milks' market has been nicely repainted.

L. A. Gardner of Frederic is some hustling telephone man. He has added a new line of service into Maple Forest, with nearly every farmer in that thrifty district a subscriber.

Eshern Hanson Jr., better known to his little friends as "Junior" and son of Mr. and Mrs. Eshern Hanson, was given a birthday party at his home on Thursday afternoon of last week. About twelve of his little friends ranging from tiny tots to "real" girls and boys, gathered at the home at about 2:00 o'clock and were duly received.

Dr. W. H. Manwaring, of San Francisco, Calif., was a visitor in the city on Tuesday. Dr. Manwaring was a member of the first graduating class at the Grayling High School.

First 40 FOURTH of JULY Celebration

FOURTH OF JULY first was observed as a holiday with a "public levee" at the home of the President in 1776, three years after the close of the Revolution, it is revealed in papers brought to light by the historical research department of the Carnegie Institution of Washington, states a writer in the Washington Star.

The first of these is a letter from Rufus King to Elbridge Gerry, both of whom were members of the Continental congress, their meeting in New York. It reads:

"Dr. Gerry, in consequence of an order of Congress a public levee was held from 12 to 3 o'clock at the house of the President at which were present the members of Congress, Officers of the Great Department, Foreign Ministers, etc., etc. The Cincinnati are in the highest prosperity, they celebrate the day with a singular exceeding, anything within the practice of Government—of course draw the Huzzas and admiration of the multitude. The Chapter of the Knights appointed a deputation of 40 members to present the anniversary congratulations to the President and members of Congress; they attended the Levee, and I was witness to the degradation of Government in seeing them recd. etc. etc."

That same day the New York Daily Advertiser printed an account of the celebration:

"The morning was ushered in by the ringing of bells and a discharge of cannon. At 12 o'clock a grand procession (headed by city watchmen and closed by citizens) . . . to the house of his excellency the Governor—and from thence to the house of his excellency the president of Congress, where the compliments of the day were first paid to his excellency by the Governor; and afterwards by his worship the mayor, in behalf of the citizens of New York. From whence they returned to Corro's tavern, where a cold collation was provided by the corporation. And the day was closed by the ringing of bells and the firing of cannon."

There follows an account of the meeting of the Cincinnati at Corro's tavern in commemoration of the day, at which suitable orations were delivered by Cols. Hamilton and Walker. One of the 13 toasts was, "May the powers of Congress be adequate to preserve the General Union."

CONGRESS' FIRST SITTING

THERE were two reasons why the Constitution framers provided for such a long lapse of time between election of a congress and its first sitting. The chief reason was that the framers believed it unwise to have legislators take office soon after election because of the danger of hasty action. It was felt that time should be allowed for the heat of the contest to cool. The secondary reason was that considerable time was required for members to travel from distant parts.

Groups of Seven

Some categories of persons or things which are grouped in sevens are: The seven hills of Rome, the seven ages of man, the seven sages of Greece, the seven wonders of the world, the seven sleepers of Ephesus, the seven fat years, the seven lean years, the seven golden years, the seven Pleiades, the seven days of the week.

Webster's First Dictionary Webster's first dictionary contained 38,000 words and his second almost twice that number, or about 70,000.

"Little Stories for Bedtime" by Thornton W. Burgess

PETER RABBIT WATCHES FOR SIGNS

SOME people never see things because they never look for them. Peter Rabbit isn't that kind. My goodness, no! Peter is all the time looking and listening. You see, he is dreadfully afraid that he will miss something. So every minute that he is awake he is looking and listening. It was this way more than ever now. Sister South Wind had arrived and said that Mistress Spring was not far behind, and that she had come to waken all the sleepers so that they would be ready to greet Mistress Spring when she did arrive.

What puzzled Peter was how gentle Sister South Wind, whose voice



He would carefully cover her over Again With the Dead Leaves That She Might Not Catch Cold.

was hardly more than a whisper, waked all the sleepers. Rough Brother North Wind had roared and whistled and howled through the Green Forest and over the Green Meadows all the long winter without waking one. In fact, the louder he roared the farther into dream-land the sleepers seemed to go. But when the gentle Sister South Wind wandered through the Green Forest and over the Green Meadows calling in just the lowest, softest voice,

Wake up, wake up, you sleepers! Come open wide your peepers! why, one after another they did wake up. Peter couldn't understand it, and finally he gave up trying to. But it was great fun to go about watching for signs that the sleepers had heard gentle Sister South Wind. Peter would listen with one long ear against a maple tree. He would hear just the softest little sound under the bark, so soft that you and I couldn't hear it if we tried. Then

Peter would kick up his heels for joy. It was the sap running up to all the branches and out to the tiniest twigs of the maple tree that Peter heard, and he knew that the maple tree was awake.

Then he would go over to a swampy place where the ice had melted away and hold his nose while he peeped into the brown hood of the skunk cabbage to see if there were any signs of flowers there. It had a dreadful smell, and yet it made Peter feel glad all over, because it meant that the queer little plant was awake. Then he would go up in the Green Forest to a warm, sunny place he knew of and there he would pull away the dead leaves of last summer until he found a tiny, furry cat peeping up above the ground. Then he knew that dainty little Hepatica was awake. He would carefully cover her up again with the dead leaves that she might not catch cold, after which he would kick up his heels in the funniest way, just because it made him feel so good.

Everywhere there were signs, if you had eyes to see and ears to hear them. And Peter had both. The Laughing Brook, which had been silent all winter because Jack Frost had bound it with ice, was laughing a great roar of a laugh, for its banks were very full, and that was a sign. The brown buds on the willows, which all winter long Jack Frost had pinched his hardest and failed to open, had split their little brown jackets at the first touch of the soft fingers of gentle Sister South Wind, and out of them had popped little gray pussies, and that was a sign. Farmer Brown had begun to clean up his cornfield, and that was a sign. There were signs everywhere, and every one of them made Peter feel happier.

But most of all Peter listened for something that he longed to hear. Every little while he would sit up and listen and listen, with his long ears standing straight up. Sometimes he would think he heard it, but he couldn't be sure. Then he would hold his breath and listen and listen and listen. What was he listening for? Why, for the loveliest sound he knows of—the voice of Winsome Bluebird.

"If I could only hear that," sighed Peter, "then I would know for sure that Mistress Spring is almost here, for Winsome Bluebird is her herald, and she is never far behind." And this is how Peter Rabbit happened to forget all about those strange tracks he had found deep in the Green Forest.

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Base Ball

As It Should Be Played.

(Interviewing John Kobs, varsity baseball coach at Michigan State college, by Max Henkel, first string pitcher. Fourth of a series of six articles.)

FIELDING

"A young infielder is usually so engrossed in getting into position where he can catch or stop the ball that he rarely has time during the learning period to realize that if he intercepts the ball as far as in possible, he may save game-winning fractions of seconds," says Coach Kobs in describing infielding.

"Accuracy and correct position, though very important, are more easily taught but are to no avail if the runner gets to the bag before the ball. Correct balance and timing in fielding slow rollers is a thing that needs much practice and is very essential."

A group of varsity men were practicing, and as they made their plays, Kobs nodded his approval or rejection of form they showed. As a player got up to the plate and started batting out fungos to the infielders, Kobs volunteered to indicate the correct playing methods.

A sizzling ball, taking its first hard bounce just at the pitcher's box, drew but a half hearted attempt by the hurler to stop it.

"Now that," said Kobs, "is bad playing. A player should not be afraid of the ball. Get in front of it. Stop it at any rate, even if you have to dive at it," he instructed the rookie after calling him over to the side lines.

"And" though it would not seem probable, there are a good many potential infielders who don't know how to catch a ball," the coach said, "when catching a ball, the hand should be cupped slightly, with the fingers of each hand pointing either up or down. If the fingers are down, the little fingers should be right together. If the reverse is true, the thumbs should be together. This eliminates the danger of balls slipping through the hands and out into safe territory."

"Major leaguers don't always

get in front of the ball in fielding it, but a novice always should. Those boys who are up in there now started out by parking themselves right in front of the ball, not off to one side, so that they might try for a spectacular catch, and perhaps miss it, and lose a game for the home team," advised Kobs.

"In baseball as in all other sports watch the ball. Nothing is so uncertain as a ground ball, it may hop in a dozen ways, and if you aren't watching it all the way, it is going to get by you. In addition to watching the ball, don't throw the ball before you have it. This is a big error-producing fault of practically every youngster. A quick throw is very essential, but not until the ball is properly handled.

"When the ball is caught, don't wait until the spirit moves you to throw. It should become mechanical after the ball is fielded to balance and throw in one motion. Get the ball away as quickly as possible so that the first baseman will have plenty of chance to catch the ball if the throw is poor. An infielder must also go after all ground balls regardless of his record. Never give up and allow a ground ball to roll through for a scratch hit."



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Base Ball Schedule

JUNIOR AMERICAN LEAGION LEAGUE

Playing dates for northern part of District No. 10:

June 27—Prudenville at Mio. Grayling at Roscommon.

July 4—Prudenville at Grayling. Mio at . . .

July 11—Roscommon at Prudenville. West Branch at Mio.

July 18—Grayling at West Branch. Mio at Roscommon.

July 25—West Branch at Grayling. Roscommon at . . .

The schedule was supposed to start May 23rd but owing to the High School players not having finished their season here, two games were postponed to a later date. These are Roscommon at Grayling and Grayling at Mio, on May 30th. These games will be played at later dates.

Oral LeVan, Mgr. A. LaChapelle, Sec.

Home Hubby Chooses

Although it is both a written and an unwritten law that a wife is to live in the home which her husband provides for her, the courts of several states have upheld many women who, for petty reasons, have refused to do it. Not long ago, says Collier's Weekly, one court ruled that a woman did not have to live in her husband's house because it was located near the home of his parents.

Bids Wanted

For cleaning and painting the ceiling and walls of the Court room, also for repairing the sanitas where broken.

Sealed proposals will be received by the County Clerk of Crawford county, Grayling, Michigan up to one o'clock P. M., E. S. T., of the 25th day of June, 1937 for the cleaning and painting of the walls and ceiling of the Court room and also for the repairing of the sanitas where broken.

All proposals must be submitted in sealed, plain envelopes marked proposals for this project.

Bids will be opened publicly at the Courthouse in the City of Grayling at the session of the Board of Supervisors beginning June 24th, 1937.

The right to accept any bid or to reject any or all bids is reserved by the County.

Axel M. Peterson, County Clerk.

MICHIGAN STATE OIL AND GAS LEASES

Leases of state owned oil and gas rights will be offered at public auction July 2, 1937, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, Eastern Standard Time, in the office of the Lands Division, Department of Conservation, Lansing.

1,104 acres in Town 19 North, Range 6 East, Arenac County; 2,870 acres in Town 19 North, Range 6 West, 5,248 acres in Town 20 North, Range 5 West, Clare County; 9,415 acres in Town 25 North, Ranges 3 and 4 West, Crawford County; 440 acres in Town 17 North, Range 1 East, 689 acres in Town 17 North, Ranges 1 and 2 West, Gladwin County; 320 acres in Town 14 North, Range 9 West, Mecosta County; 800 acres in Town 21 North, Range 3 East, Ogemaw County; 1,690 acres in Town 24 North, Range 3 West, Roscommon County.

Specific descriptions and further particulars upon request. Department of Conservation, By P. J. Hoffmaster, Director.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the City of Grayling in said county, on the 1st day of June A. D. 1937.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Rebecca M. Wight, deceased. Allen B. Failing having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the 28th day of June A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate. G-3-4

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Defaults having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by E. Lorane Sparkes and Lillian A. Sparkes, husband and wife, of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, to Home Owners' Loan Corporation, a Corporation organized under the laws of the United States of America, dated October 25, 1935, and recorded in the office of the Registrar of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, on October 26, 1935, in Liber L-mis. of Mortgages, on pages 114-115, and said mortgagee having elected under the terms of said mortgage to declare the entire principal and accrued interest thereon due, which election it does hereby exercise, pursuant to which there is claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at the date of this notice for principal and interest plus taxes and insurance paid by mortgagee the sum of two thousand four hundred thirty-four dollars and twenty cents (\$2,434.20) and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the Statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, Notice is Hereby Given that on Monday, July 26, 1937, at 1:00 o'clock afternoon, Eastern Standard Time at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court in said County) said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay—the amount due as aforesaid, and any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned at or before said sale for taxes and/or insurance on said premises, and all other sums paid by the undersigned, with interest thereon, pursuant to law and to the terms of said mortgage, and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including an attorney's fee, which premises are described as follows: That certain piece or parcel of land situated in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, Michigan, more particularly described as:

Lot One (1), Block Six (6) of Hadley's Amended Addition to the Village of Grayling (now City of Grayling) according to the recorded plat thereof, and being a part of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 7, Town 26 North, Range 3 West.

Dated: April 26, 1937.

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Henry Miltner, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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Sheer knee-length Admiration Hose at 79 cents, at Olsons.

The Nellie Donn dresses have arrived at the Maureen Shoppe.

William Neal has taken Harvey Fissette as partner in the Fischer Hotel dining room.

Mrs. Archie Kennedy has opened her lunch stand on U.S. 27, next to the Buick Garage.

Attorney Chas. Moore was in Bay City Tuesday where he had a case in Federal court.

Ask to see the womens White leather-soled and Cuban-heeled Slippers for \$1.00, at Olsons.

Mrs. R. Hanson is confined to her home by illness. Her friends hope for a speedy recovery.

R. A. Wright is driving a new Chevrolet deluxe town sedan, bought of the Hanson Sales.



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The Betty Mae Beauty Shoppe will be closed next Saturday, July 3rd. Make your appointments now. Phone 144.

Charles E. Moore has been appointed city attorney, succeeding Merle F. Nellist. Mr. Moore assumed his new duties June 15th.

Mrs. James Bugby and daughter, Elinor, and Betty Parsons and Mrs. Neal McDaniels spent Friday in Traverse City on business.

A special train from Marquette passed thru Grayling Monday, carrying Shriners bound for the big Shriner convention in Detroit.

Don't forget that young turkey and spring chicken will be on the dinner menu at Shoppingtons Inn Sunday. The public is welcome.

Burke Sales report the following Ford sales this week: Dept. of Conservation, a Ford Pickup; Tudors to J. D. Foster, Kalkaska; J. P. Goudie, Roscommon; E. C. Grace, Kewadin, Mich.

Mrs. Maurice Gorman left Thursday for Ann Arbor where she will attend a school of public health for six weeks. Mrs. Gorman holds the position of nurse in the public schools here.

Mrs. Daisy Barnett and Mrs. Sadie Bobenmoyer have dissolved partnership and hereafter the Grayling Restaurant will be operated under the proprietorship of Mrs. Bobenmoyer alone.

Dan Jarmin is very much interested and proud of his garden, and would advise the owners of some of those big noble dogs about town not to be surprised if they did not return home some night.

The Ladies Aid society of Michelson Memorial church, for their regular meeting Friday, July 2, will meet at the summer home of Mrs. Fred R. Welsh at Lake Margrethe. Pot luck luncheon 1:00 o'clock.

Rev. and Mrs. Hans Juhl, Mrs. Hansine Hanson and Mrs. Adler Jorgenson are in Askov, Minn., in attendance at the annual meeting of the Danish Lutheran Churches of America. They will return sometime next week.

Specials for Saturday and Sunday at the AuSable Dairy are your choice of many flavors of Ice Cream cups at only 5¢ each. And they are delicious. Ice cream in all flavors in seal-tight packages are on sale at all times. Phone 140.

Free illustrated lecture tonight (Thursday) at 8:30 at Grayling high school auditorium. Missionaries from the West have some free pictures to show the public on early development and history of Utah and migration of Utah pioneers. Everyone welcome.

There will be no services at Michelson Memorial church next Sunday as Rev. Edgar Flory will be away attending the annual M. E. church conference at Marquette. However services will be resumed on Sunday, July 4th. Rev. and Mrs. Flory left for Marquette Wednesday morning.

Weekly check-ups by the state conservation department have revealed no stream pollution in Gladwin county, despite the rapid development of the prolific Buckeye fields. E. T. White, secretary of the Gladwin Chamber of Commerce reports to the East Michigan Tourist association.

Milo Case is laid up with a fractured vertebrae in his neck as the result of an accident received while playing softball in a game between the Moose and Firemen. It happened when Art May, who had made a long hit to the outfield was trying to stretch it into a home plate and collided at the home plate with catcher Case. It will be late in July before Case will be able to have the cast removed.

Grayling American Legion Bugle and Drum Corps led the parade of the Tri-District Legion convention at Traverse City Sunday. This fine organization makes a hit wherever it goes and this time was no exception. The fellows received many enviable comments. The parade committee of the coming Cherry festival further honored them by inviting them to lead the famous festival parade. The Corps will take part in the Bass festival at Mio next Sunday.

The offices and show rooms of the Michigan Public Service Co. have been completely remodeled and redecorated. The workshop was moved to the basement and the offices and display cases moved to the rear of the room thus providing greater room for displaying electrical equipment. The ceiling, sidewalls and floor have been entirely recovered, painted and varnished. Also the front is now more attractive in its combination color of canary and white. It's a fine improvement in convenience and also appearance.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Golf club are giving a benefit bridge party at the club house Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Contract and auction bridge will be in play. Ladies and gentlemen whether members of the club or not, are welcome. Tickets are 50¢ per couple. Come and have a good time. Lunch will be served.

Children's Tennis Shoes at 68 cents, at Olsons.

Alex Kochanowski visited his mother in Cadillac Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trudgeon left for Detroit Sunday on business.

Miss Dorothy Roberts is visiting friends in Saginaw for several days.

Miss Muriel DeLaMater entertained the "Just Us" club Tuesday night.

Mrs. S. Robarge and Mrs. Roy Wolcott visited friends in Gaylord Tuesday.

Mrs. Ernest Larson returned home Tuesday from a business trip to Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Einer Rasmussen and daughter Shirley of Marlette spent the week end here.

Mrs. John Gerin of Kalamazoo was called here by the illness of her niece, Patsy Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Olson are attending the Shriners convention in Detroit this week.

Bayward LaMotte is in Traverse City for the summer, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dionne.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Walther are spending a few days at their summer home on Higgins Lake.

Mrs. Fred Hanselman of Detroit is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Montour, for the week.

Mrs. Mae Drick of Middleton, Mich., a former resident here, called on Mrs. Katherine Loskos last week.

Douglas McDaniels is spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gailhouse at Houghton Lake.

Miss Doris Goshorn of Detroit is spending a few weeks in Grayling with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Goshorn.

Mrs. David LaMotte, well known and long a resident of Grayling, celebrated her 80th birthday on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Agomire of Boyne Falls spent Sunday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Vallad.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Case of Saginaw were week end guests of the former's sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson.

Mrs. C. J. Reniwick and daughter Mary Jane of Corunna, Mich., are visiting their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reniwick for the week.

Selwyn D. Dexter of Hart, Mich., visited Curry Sheehy and other Grayling friends Tuesday, enroute on a business trip to Mackinaw.

Elwood Robarge, Benedict Morris, Misses Dorothea Morris and Elsie Mae LaMotte visited friends in Cheboygan the last of the week.

Patsy Ann Larson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Larson, who has been seriously ill at their home with typhoid fever, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ferguson and daughter Eileen spent the week end visiting Max Ferguson who is attending the Bay City Business college, at Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Libcke and son John went to Detroit Tuesday. Mrs. Libcke had spent a week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cody were in Flint over the week end, guests of Mrs. Cody's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edward King; also visiting their daughter Mrs. Wm. Wythe, at Holly.

Earl Gierke who is teaching in Saginaw, was home for a week-end visit. He will continue his teaching at the Saginaw Business Institute during the summer months.

Miss Mary Montour is spending a couple of weeks in Detroit visiting her sisters, who reside there, accompanying Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Sampsel, who had been here for the week end.

Mrs. Waldo Hildebrand and children of Ann Arbor have arrived at their summer home at Lake Margrethe. Mr. Hildebrand will spend the weekends during the summer here as usual.

A number of friends surprised Mrs. Roy McEvers at the lake Tuesday, the occasion being her birthday. Games were played, high scores being won by Mrs. Amberger, Mrs. Harry McEvers and Mrs. Neal McDaniels. Lunch was served at a picnic table under the trees.

Mrs. Frank Barney is spending a few days visiting at the Herbert Gothro home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aldrich of Detroit spent the week end at their cabin on the North Branch.

Mrs. Earl Woodburn, daughter Doris and son Richard, spent the week end at their cottage on Lake Margrethe.

Gadi White Cleaner will make a black shoe white and won't rub off; 10 and 25 cents, at Olson's Shoe Store.

Stanley Monroe and Wm. Thomas of Watervliet called at the home of Jack Clark the first of the week.

Mrs. Wesley LaGrow and daughters of Detroit are here to spend several weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Burrows.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Perry, and Mr. and Mrs. John DeKoker, of Detroit, spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. James Perry.

Miss Elizabeth Matson of Trenton is at home for the week. She will leave Saturday for Ann Arbor to attend summer school at U. of M.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Doroh and daughter June, left Sunday afternoon for Lansing to visit Mrs. Doroh's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hammond of Lansing spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Doroh.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Perry and little daughter Donna, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fennell of Detroit, are spending a week in Grayling, guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Perry.

Eugene Gill and Miss Louise LaVack accompanied by Mrs. Michael Hermatz, drove to Cadillac the first of the week. Mr. Gill took a barber's examination there, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Garnat and small daughter of Kalamazoo are visiting at the F. D. Barnes home. Mr. and Mrs. Garnat are missionaries of Calvary Church in Kalamazoo.

Henry Ahman of Saginaw spent the week end in Grayling. His daughter, Gwen, who accompanied him, stayed with her grandmother Mrs. Cassidy, for a several days visit.

Miss Jayne Keyport entertained several friends at her cottage at Lake Margrethe Tuesday afternoon in honor of Miss Elizabeth Matson. Cards and refreshments were enjoyed.

Mrs. Geo. Alexander returned to her home from Saginaw Sunday where she had visited her brother, Mr. Fred Culver, who accompanied her here and returned the same evening.

Magnus Hanson, who made his home in Grayling when a boy, enjoyed a fishing trip here over the week end, and visited his brother Holger D. Hanson. He was accompanied by his son Gifford and a pal of the latter.

Mr. and Mrs. T. SanCartier, Mrs. Willard Harwood and son Pat accompanied Bobbie Tiffin to West Branch Thursday where he will spend the summer months with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tiffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Halford Kittleman and daughter, Katherine Ann of Chicago, arrived Saturday. Mrs. Kittleman and Katherine Ann will remain for the summer as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wolff at Lake Margrethe. Mr. Kittleman returned to Chicago Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Gierke spent from Saturday until Wednesday in Detroit, attending the graduating exercises of Mrs. Gierke's niece, Miss Eleanor Godfrey. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henderson, of Saginaw.

Mrs. N. C. Nielsen of Tawas City is spending this week visiting her daughter Mrs. W. J. Heric and family. Mr. Nielsen, who is a building contractor, is employed at the present time at Higgins Lake. The Heric family spent the week end in Tawas City.

MRS. DAVID WARD PASSED AWAY

Mrs. David Ward, age 56 years, who had been a resident of Grayling since she was less than two years old, passed away at her home Sunday. Mrs. Ward had been in ill health for about three years and for some time had been so feeble that she was unable to leave her home.

Edna Kelly was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Carson Kelly October 13, 1880 at Gaines, Michigan and the family came to Grayling two years later. Except for a short time spent in Detroit and Ferndale, this had always been her home. Mrs. Ward was educated in Grayling schools and at a young age was united in marriage to David Ward of Caro.

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Best quality prints. \$1.00 values for**79c**

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A wonderful chance to get a Coat for Sport or Dress wear at a real bargain Choice now at $\frac{1}{3}$ Off

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To the union four children were born, all of whom survive.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at Michelson Memorial church. Rev. Stevens of Higgins Lake, officiating. Interment was in Elmwood cemetery. Surviving the deceased besides her husband are three sons and one daughter, John Carson Ward, David Ward Jr., Grayling; Louis Ward, and Mrs. Ruth Stoliker, Ferndale. Also a half brother Chester Smith, Detroit. All have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

Those from out of town in attendance at the funeral included Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stoliker, Carl Ward, Louis Ward, Ferndale; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ward, Grand Rapids; Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Ward, Caro.

ENTERTAIN FIREMEN

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cody entertained for the City firemen last evening at the Clark home. There were 11 of the former present and 15 guests. Card games were enjoyed with Mrs. Milo Case, Mrs. Middle LaMotte, Mrs. Warren Stephen, Miss Jerine Mathews, Robert LaMotte, Amos Hoelsi, and Teddy Cody winners.

In the peanut contest Milo Case carried off the honors so that the republicans got the elephant, and now Alvin LaChapelle is collecting peanuts for it. At midnight a delicious lunch was served.

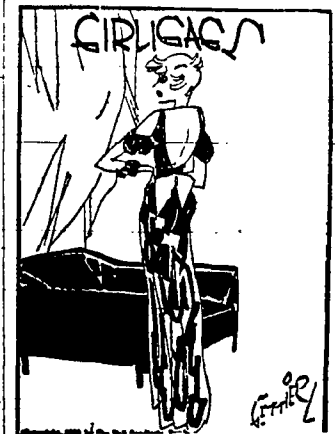
These social meetings are held once each month and are being much enjoyed. The firemen have a recreation fund collected from each fireman, who gives 10¢ of each dollar on a fire they work on. There is also a beneficiary fund and the proceeds of all entertainments go into this.

GETS FRUIT AND PRODUCE MICKIE SAYS—

Willard Harwood of the Grayling Fruit & Produce Co., announces that his Company has been awarded the contract to furnish the fruits and vegetables for this summer's National Guard camp. Here are a few of the items that he will be required to furnish:

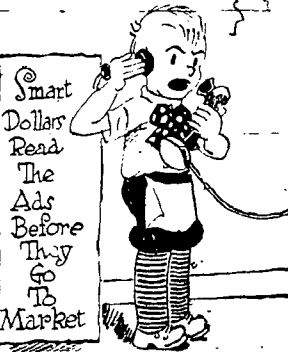
4304 lbs. bananas.
2195 lbs. cabbage.
1680 bunches carrots.
1195 bunches celery.
3660 heads lettuce.
7600 lbs. dry onions.
7504 bunches green onions.
6040 bunches radishes.

And there are many other articles of lesser quantities on the list. Mr. Harwood says that he already has placed his orders for these articles and will be ready to make deliveries by July 9th as required.



"Those who are fortunate enough to retain their shirt in the business of a day," says pertinent Polly, "return home only to find the laundry man has lost it for them."

TH' BOSS SEZ FOLKS SHOULD REMEMBER AS HOW WE ARE HIRED BY OUR READERS T' PRINT TH' NEWS, N SHOULDNT BE ASKED TO LEAVE OUT GOOD ITEMS TO SUIT SOMEBODYS WHIM OR IDLE FANCY



Read your home paper

Notice

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I will start my milk route Monday, June 21. Anyone wishing Milk at 8¢ per quart, write or see me at Grayling.

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GREAT LAKES MOTOR BUS

The New Sewage Treatment Plant

The new sewage treatment plant at Crawford is getting a big boost from the local business community. The plant, which is the largest in the area, is being built by the local business community and is expected to be completed by the end of the year.

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News By Nosey

We jumped over the fence at Wagonwheel last week, and now we have to get back into the game. Park, because those kids in the Trailer Camp are making a lot of noise, and they are making a lot of noise.

The kids are getting to be a little bit noisy, and they are making a lot of noise. They are making a lot of noise, and they are making a lot of noise.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hahn and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hahn are the owners of the Trailer Camp. They are making a lot of noise, and they are making a lot of noise.

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DISTINGUISHED GUESTS VISIT MICH. RESORTS

(Continued from front page) Michigan tourist associations also were among the group. T. F. Marston of Eastern Michigan University joined the group as it started out at the Starline in Detroit last week. Thursday it continued on to St. Ignace Sunday night. George B. Marston of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau joined the group at Mackinac Island and High Gray secretary of the West Michigan Tourist and Resort Association at Mackinac City Monday morning.

Lee Barrett executive vice president of the Detroit Convention and Tourist Bureau, starting with the group at Mackinac Island. On the invitation of Secretary Marston, this group was to spend the week at St. Ignace, St. Ignace, and St. Ignace.

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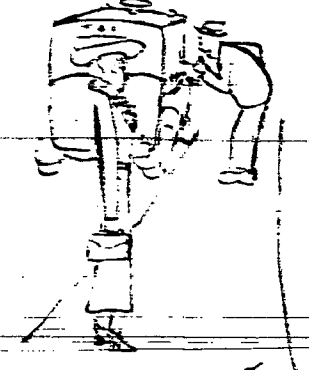
Shadow Effect



Garlands of white handkerchiefs and flowers are embroidered on the shadow effect of this gown. It is made over a brown tulle slip and has a full skirt. Emeralds and diamonds are worn with it and the bag is emerald green.

MANNERS OF THE MOMENT

By JEAN



Men who have to argue with their wives really should be in luck. We read in yesterday's paper that they usually do it in a very polite way.

Well, it doesn't impress us as a very polite way. It is a very polite way, but it is a very polite way.

Walking away from the scene may seem like a very polite way, but it is a very polite way.

In fact, our experience suggests that the most polite way is to walk away from the scene.

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WHAT HAVE PIES TO DO WITH BEER?
Nothing—except that most pies, with their rich brown crusts, look much alike. You have to sample the crust and what's under it to judge quality.
Different brands of beer look a lot alike, too. It's the beer inside the bottle—the way it's made—the way it tastes—that counts.
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Altes Lager

THE BEER IN THE GREEN BOTTLE

Canning Demonstration June 30

A well-attended picnic lunch was recently served at the home of Mrs. J. A. Hahn.

At the present time, many Crawford County residents are busy adding to the family pocketbook by preserving fruits and vegetables for winter use.

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Frederic Notes

Frederic is a happy community, where just about everyone who cares to work is busy.

Big Bill Long not only runs a garage but he also conducts an ice cream, candy and refreshment store; a wholesale oil and gas business and operates an electric business.

The Frederic hotel, owned by Mr. and Mrs. John F. Bigham, is spruced up in great style. Fresh paint inside and outside makes the place inviting and attractive.

Everything about the place is a spot and span. Mr. Bigham is a worker and keeps busy every day improving his property. For about eight years he was a fireman in Dearborn, Mich. Previous to that he resided with his parents in Maple Forest. They have two sons, one 14 and the other about 8. They say they like the north.

The AuSable Souvenir Works seems to be supplying the whole world with rustic souvenirs. This is operated by Carl Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Madill. It is a home of industry. There are 15 men and 10 women on the working force. Lathes for shaping the pieces are making the shavings fly, while grinders are busy smoothing them up. In another room the articles are finished and varnished, and later hand lettered. Some very clever articles are turned out. A list of 31 different articles are made, besides souvenir toasters and skis and decoy ducks. Another article they make is balsam pine-needle filled pillows. Their busy season is on now and the force is hurrying to get orders filled by July 1st. Mr. Johnson is on the road constantly. Mr. Madill operates the factory. Their products are sold in every state in the Union. Their timber supply is furnished largely by Arthur House, and some by Albert Lewis. White birch is used principally. James Tobin is building a new store building and says he will use it for a grocery and residence. It's a two story structure.

Conductors of Electricity. Under ordinary conditions pure water, kerosene and alcohol are poor conductors of electricity, whereas water solutions of salts and acids are good conductors.

MOPSY



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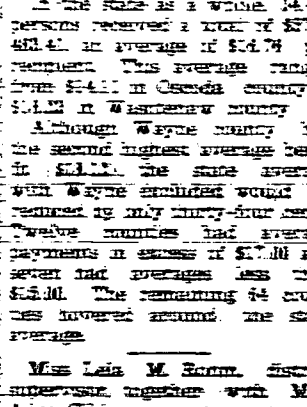
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GRIGION



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HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Thomas Ramsey, Red Oak.

Mrs. Ruth Wood, Crawford; Mrs. David Moore, Resurrection; Edgar, Margaret, Mrs. Chas. Adams, Gaylord.

James Patton, Johannesburg; Mrs. H. S. Cliff, Grayling.

Patients dismissed from the hospital this week are: Mrs. Lora Caldwell, Frank Kricka, Thomas O'Rourke, Gaylord.

Scout Spokesman, Frederic; Betty Christensen, Clifton; Frederick Grayling; Ray Gilman, OOC 661; William Steffer, Glenn Cotton, Kalamazoo.

Penny Atkinson, Mary Lou Coughlin, Mrs. Lewis Williams, Manistowick.

Mrs. Wm. R. Teachout, Houghton Lake; Mrs. Lora Jarmet, Boyne Falls.

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